

## What you need to know in 6<sup>th</sup> grade...

### General Rules and Information:

1. Daily homework—you are now in junior high, so you should expect homework almost every day. If you do not complete your assignments by the time class begins, you will be required to stay in at recess until they are finished, and your grade will be reduced by at least 10%. If you have trouble with an assignment and need to ask the teacher a question, it is your responsibility to ask **before** class, not when class is starting. A good time to ask homework questions is either before school or at first recess.
2. Homework folders—your teachers will hand graded papers back in the mailboxes. You will take the papers home on **Friday** and fill out the sheet inside the folder and get your parents signature. If the folders are returned and signed by the following Wednesday, you get a piece of candy. ☺
3. Sickness—a homework sheet will be filled out for you when you are sick. After coming back to school, you will need to turn in your list to your teacher with all assignments and catch up work finished and checked off before going out for recess.
4. Planned Absences—if you know you will be missing school, it is your responsibility to get work from your teachers ahead of time. Teachers will do their best to get you work as soon as possible. You are expected to have **all** of your assignments completed by the time you return to school.
5. Assignment papers—All students will be required to fill out an assignment paper with homework assignments for the first quarter. Assignment papers will be handed in each week as part of your Study Skills grade. Assignment papers will be provided. You may use an assignment notebook if you prefer.
6. Website—general class information can be found on Mrs. Brunst's web page. Go to the Sheldon Christian website, click on "Staff Info", and then on Mrs. Brunst's name. Look to the menu on the left to find out what we will be learning, when tests are scheduled, and what your memory verse is each week.

### Due Dates and Homework Information:

1. Spelling—Spelling pre-test is on **Wednesday**. You will re-write pre-test words that you got wrong 10 times (due on **Thursday**). On **Friday**, all spelling worksheets must be handed in and the spelling test will be given.
2. Journals—You will have 2 journal entries due every **Tuesday**. I will check that they are all done and you will choose one for me to read and grade. All writing should be done in cursive.
3. Book Reports—A list of book reports and due dates is on the back. The report form will be different every month. Vocabulary worksheets will be filled out with each book report.
4. Memory Work—You will need to copy your memory verse from the Bible every week along with an application due on **Tuesday**. Fill-in-the-blank memory tests will be given every **Thursday**. A 95% or better will earn you a sticker, and 10 stickers will earn you a free memory pass. Anyone is allowed to retake the memory verse on Friday morning (before school or at first recess) so that Thursday's will not count against you. After Friday, your grade will be affected. If you do not know your memory verse by Monday, you will be required to write the memory verse ten times.